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SUBJECT: 30TH UNGA: QUESTION OF BELIZE STATE OF PLAY

SUMMARY AND INTRODUCTION: THE FOLLOWING CABLE REPORTS THE  
STATE OF PLAY OF THE BELIZE RESOLUTIONS IN 4TH COMMITTEE.

UK DELEGATION OFFICER DESCRIBE SITUATION AS "CONFUSED  
OBSCURITY". UK-CARIBBEAN AND GUATEMALAN RESOLUTIONS MAY  
BE INTRODUCED WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19.

END SUMMARY AND INTRODUCTION.

1. UK MISSION OFFICER RICHARDSON INFORMED US THAT  
SITUATION RELATING TO BELIZE RESOLUTIONS IS ONE OF "CONFUSED  
OBSCURITY". MEXICANS ARE CONTINUING CONSULTATIONS ON THEIR  
RESOLUTION AND MET WITH CARIBBEAN COSPONSORS THIS MORNING.  
ACCORDING TO RICHARDSON, MEXICANS ARE CONSIDERING FOLLOWING  
CHANGES IN THEIR RESOLUTION:

- 1) REFERRING TO SELF-DETERMINATION FOR THE PEOPLE OF  
BELIZE RATHER THAN "THE RIGHTS OF THE PEOPLE OF BELIZE."
  - 2) USING THE TERM "CONTROVERSY" RATHER THAN "DISPUTE".
  - 3) CALRIFYING THAT UNILATERAL ACTION REFERS TO USE OF
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FORCE AND NOT CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES.

2. RICHARDSON SAID THAT MEXICAN RESOLUTION DOES NOT SEEM TO BE PICKING UP MUCH STEAM SINCE THE CARIBBEAN AND NON-ALIGNED COSPONSORS OF UK-CARIBBEAN RESOLUTION ARE CONFIDENT OF VICTORY. RICHARDSON SAID THERE ARE NOW 65 COSPONSORS. HE THINKS AFRICANS AND CARIBBEANS WOULD BOTE AGAINST MEXICAN RESOLUTION. HE SAID HE THOUGHT UK-CARIBBEAN RESOLUTION WOULD BE INTRODUCED ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19.

3. MEXICAN PERMREP GARCIA ROBLES INFORMED USUN MISSION OFFICER THAT CONSULTATIONS ON MEXICAN RESOLUTION ARE CONTINUING BUT WAS NONCOMMITTAL ABLUT RESULTS OF THE CONSULTATIIONS. MEXICAN FOREIGN MINISTER RABASSA ARRIVED IN NEW YORK ON NOVEMBER 17. MEXICANS ARE INSCRIBED TO SPEAK ON NOVEMBER 19. MEXICAN MISSION OFFICER MONTEMAYOR SAID CONSULTATIONS ARE STILL UNDERWAY BUT EXPRESSED UNCERTAINTY ABOUT WHAT THE RESULTS MIGHT BE.

4. GUATEMALAN DELEGATION OFFICER VILLAGRAN-KRAMER SAID HE BELIEVED GUATEMALAN RESOLUTION MIGHT BE INTRODUCED WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19.

5. BELIZE DEPUTY PREMIER PRICE AND DELGATION OFFICER LESLIE EXPRESSED DOUBT THAT CARIBBEAN COSPONSORS WOULD GO ALONG WITH MEXICAN PROPOSAL SINCE THEY ARE CONFIDENT OF VICTORY ON THEIR RESOLUTION.  
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